

Plan I

2008 City Council Alternative Districts  
Prepared on behalf of Councilwoman Bellamy-Small

Summary of Precinct Changes

Precinct	District	
	From	To
G14	4	5
G44	1	5
G56	5	1
G59	5	1

Statistical Summary  
Includes Only City Initiated Annexations

District Number	Population Counts				Variance
	White	African American	Other	Total	
1	10,118	34,841	6,408	51,367	-2.2
2	11,352	34,315	5,862	51,529	-1.9
3	39,345	10,951	2,938	53,234	1.3
4	42,737	8,263	4,363	55,363	5.4
5	29,247	14,778	7,186	51,211	-2.5
Total	132,799	103,148	26,757	262,704	7.9

Percentages			
1	19.7	67.8	12.5
2	22.0	66.6	11.4
3	73.9	20.6	5.5
4	77.2	14.9	7.9
5	57.1	28.9	14.0
Total	50.6	39.3	10.2

Plan Overview

Characteristic/Description	Measure
<b>Population Variance.</b> All plans must adhere to the requirement that the maximum population variance not exceed 10 percent. Smaller variances are preferred over larger variances. This plan has a variance of:	<b>7.9</b>
<b>Avoid Retrogression.</b> Maintain two districts that are "majority-minority" in population composition. The majority-minority districts in this plan are:	<b>District 1: 80.3%</b>  <b>District 2: 78.0%</b>
<b>Preserve Political Subdivisions.</b> Voter precincts should be the basic building block for all districts. Exceptions are present where the City limit passes through a precinct. This is common in areas where annexations have taken place.	<b>all districts follow precinct boundaries</b>
<b>Preserve the Cores of Prior Districts.</b> Base the current plan, to the extent possible, on existing city council districts. Compared to the 2001 districts, the number of precincts shifted to a different district is:	<b>4</b>
<b>Preserve Communities of Interest.</b> Neighborhood areas are a key indicator of similar communities of interest. The number of neighborhoods split between districts is:	<b>9</b>
<b>Maintain Constituent Relationships.</b> To the extent possible, keep incumbents within their current district. The number of incumbents moved to a different district is:	<b>none</b>

